

**Keshena Community Meeting
September 9, 2004 @ 5:00 p.m.
Tribal Office Boardroom**

Legislators present: AnnMarie Johnson and Gary Besaw. Absent: Michael Chapman.
Also present: Edwin Wilber, Freida Bergeon and Bruce Wilber, Sr.

Community concerns:

Recently there was a newspaper deterrent about the Tribal Police knowing who the drug dealers are and that they are working to get rid of them. The person in the trailer courts on highway VV is still selling, you see the traffic every day there.

Comment on Michael Chapman not being here for the second time in a row. If Mr. Chapman is going to serve on the Legislature he should be here for meetings.

Transportation-The bus that was purchased for the elders when Apesanahkwat was Chairman; that was given to the Transportation department; this should be returned to the elders but possibly because of the wear & tear on the bus a new one (with a wheelchair lift) should be purchased for the elders.

The c-store- The community wants a back up plan for the c-store. Possibly use the Old Reiter Gas Station for the store.

Transportation- there should be bus rides for anyone to Shawano for shopping at a minimal fee.

Why are the gas stations here charging state taxes on gas? The state has no jurisdiction here. We are giving up our sovereignty.

Why is the tribe imposing hunting & fishing laws on tribal members? This is going against our treaty rights. What is happening with Kenosha?

Is there a stipulation in the agreement that you have to pay a certain percentage to the tribal members?

The baseball fields in Keshena are in terrible condition. These need to be fixed.

Something should be done about the midway section at pow wow time with all the stones. The kids are always throwing stones around.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m

Respectfully Submitted by
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